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Remarks

Status of the claims. Claims 1-10 are pending. Claims 1-6, 8, and 10 were allowed. Claims 7 and 9 were rejected under 35 USC 112. In this reply claims 7 and 9 are cancelled. Claim 8 has been rewritten in independent form. Claim 10 has been rewritten to depend on claim 8.

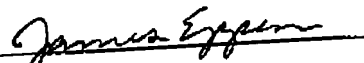
Rejection under 35 USC 112, first paragraph. Claims 7 and 9 were rejected for not being enabled for the treatment of all circadian related disorders.

Claims 7 and 9 have been cancelled.

The applicants believe the application is now in allowable form and respectfully request favorable reconsideration. If any issues remain regarding the allowance of this application, the Examiner is respectfully invited to contact the applicants' agent, James Epperson, by phone (203-677-8974), fax (203-677-6900), or e-mail (james.epperson@bms.com).

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